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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, TSS/Engineering Division

ATTENTION: 

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SUBJECT: Recorder Test and Evaluation Program

1. It is requested that a test and evaluation program be initiated to include a category of recorders that may be adapted for briefcase and automobile concealment.

2. This category of recorders should be tested essentially in the same manner as previous (standard) recorders. Two specific tests should be considered for this category of recorders:

a. Test under conditions  and recording within automobiles.

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3. The following is a suggested list of recorders in the desired category:

a. MAGRA III B.

b. Fi-Cord

c. Steelman

d. Minitape Model MSX2

The EMI has been used for several years and is being stocked under the  PROGRAM. It is felt that there are other recorders available which are more adaptable to audio operational needs than those now being used.

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4. As a result of this evaluation program, it is requested that R & D recommend the most suitable recorder. One Stancil Hoffman Minitape recorder is presently being installed [redacted]

[redacted] This installation is being made to compare the Minitape with the EMI.

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